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PRICE, FIVE CENTS

\$117,666 Contributed to United Campaign

Special Committee Turns in
Contributions Totalling
\$110,815

QUOTA IS \$715,185

A total of \$117,666 had been contributed to the United Campaign from the Main Line section up to Tuesday night. This includes 239 subscriptions amounting to \$110,815 turned in by the Special Committee, which solicits contributions of \$100 and over, and 513 contributions from the Team Committee totaling \$6,851.

The quota for the Main Line district is \$715,185.47.

A motor messenger service, under the chairmanship of Mrs. John W. Townsend, Jr., has the following aides: Anne Chew, Mary L. Vetterlein, Janet MacCoy, Maria Whelen, Mrs. George Reath, Barbara Gerhard, Peggy Fisher and Nancy Brown.

Among the contributions of \$1,000 or over reported to date are the following:

Brooke Dolan, \$1,500; Mr. and Mrs. George L. Harrison, \$3,000; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Hasbrouck, Jr., \$1,000; William H. Hutt, \$1,200; W. Logan MacCoy, Esq., \$1,000; Frederick McOwen, \$4,500; Mr. and Mrs. John O. Platt, \$1,000; Miss Alice A. Scott, \$1,200; Mr. and Mrs. Thos. M. Scott, \$1,200; C. Henderson Supplee, \$3,000; Mrs. Chas. M. Wood, \$1,500; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Curtis Bok, \$2,000; Hon. and Mrs. John Marshall Gest, \$2,400; Mrs. Wm. P. Gest, \$1,200; Miss Letitia B. Scott, \$1,000; Mrs. Edward Dale Toland, \$3,500; Anonymous, \$1,000, \$4,000, \$2,000, \$1,000, \$2,500, \$1,200, \$1,000, \$6,000; Cary W. Bok, \$1,500; Miss Frances C. Griscom, \$1,200; Mrs. Chas. A. Longstreth, \$1,000; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Collins Maule, \$1,000; Dr. and Mrs. Lewis Scheffey, M.D., \$1,000; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. P. Stokes, \$1,000; Miss Mabel L. H. Thomas, \$2,500; Mrs. Ira Vaughan, \$4,000; Mrs. W. Logan MacCoy, \$1,800; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Neilson, \$1,000.

The quotas as set for the Main Line communities are as follows:

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New Society Needed, Says Bucknell's Head, Dr. Rainey

A plea for the development of a social, political, economic and moral intelligence comparable to our technological skill was made by Dr. Homer P. Rainey, President of Bucknell University, at the second community service held Sunday evening at the Narberth Baptist Church.

Dr. Rainey, who was introduced by the pastor of the Church, the Rev. Robert E. Keighton, traced the development of the changes brought about in American civilization by technology and stressed the importance of a shift of emphasis onto human needs.

"We must develop a new society," he said, "which is not competitive or individualistic but cooperative. So far we have no conscience developed which is commensurate with the power we possess."

Religious educational institutions, he said, are more needed today than ever, since our civilization rests on a spiritual factor; faith or confidence.

Over two hundred people attended the service, which is the second in a series being sponsored by the Baptist Church this fall and winter.

Carl Johnson Hero of Lower Merion's 12 to 8 Victory Over Radnor High Team

BY TOMMY MACKLIN

Thirty-five years of gridiron warfare between the high schools of Radnor and Lower Merion have brought forth many epics of football, but there has been no game in all of those long years to furnish more thrills and color than the game of last Saturday at Villanova Stadium when the muddy Maroons came from behind to win in the last quarter, 12 to 8.

There have been heroes sung and unsung during this long rivalry, there have been Petersons, Sculls, Peabodys, Peters and Haws, and many, many others, but there never was a hero of a Radnor-Lower Merion fray more deserving of glory than little Carl Johnson, colored whippet of today's

Sewer Backs Up, Floods Cellar; Fire Apparatus Pumps It Dry

The extent to which Narberth Borough authorities will go to help citizens who are in trouble was indicated last Saturday afternoon when a sewer at Rockland avenue and Wynnewood road became clogged and backed up in the cellar of a resident.

Although it was "after hours," a Councilman, the Fire Chief, two firemen and two Borough laborers were on the job a short time after the call for help was received.

A stoppage in the sewer had caused the cellar of Alexander Giffilan, Rockland avenue and Wynnewood road, to fill until he became alarmed that it would put out his heater, in addition to causing a very unsanitary condition.

The pump of the Narberth Fire Company was brought into action to

clear the cellar while the Borough laborers were endeavoring to ascertain where the stoppage had occurred. After the fire apparatus had pumped the cellar dry, an electric pump with a 400 gallon per hour capacity, was borrowed from a neighbor, Maurice J. Lacey, of 105 Rockland avenue, and put to work to keep the cellar cleared.

By means of rodding the sewer for a considerable distance the stoppage was dislodged. Superintendent of Public Works George B. Supplee, who was out of town during the afternoon, returned around dinner time and worked with his men until 10.30 that night. They were on the job again Sunday morning and had the condition completely remedied by noon.

Mulieres' 2d Dance at Elm Hall Tonight

Bill Dohard's Orchestra to Play
at Affair Open to
Public

HALL IS DECORATED

The second dance of the series sponsored by the Mulieres of the Narberth Fire Company will be held in Elm Hall, which will be attractively decorated in gay holiday regalia, this Friday evening from nine until twelve o'clock. Bill Dohard's Orchestra will play the latest dance music. No invitations have been issued for these dances and each is open to the public. These dances are sponsored by a committee.

The hostesses for this Friday evening are Mrs. E. C. Griswold, Mrs. Robert Bennett, Mrs. Robert J. Dohard, Mrs. E. Alburger and Mrs. Arthur Goldsmith. Season tickets may still be purchased at reduced rates, either at the door or by calling Narberth 3883. Single admission tickets for each dance may also be purchased in the same way. Guests are expected from Pottstown, Philadelphia, Penn Valley, Merion and Wynnewood.

The Christmas Dance will be given on Monday, December 26, and will be given by the younger members of the committee.

Clothing and donations for the Christmas baskets are still requested by the Mulieres. The clothing may be deposited in the barrel in front of Elm Hall to be distributed in Narberth. This clothing is repaired by members of the organization, who meet each week for this purpose. The next sewing meeting will be on Wednesday, November 30, in Elm Hall, from ten until one o'clock.

The next meeting of the Mulieres will be held on Monday, December 12, when the new members of the Executive Board will be appointed.

Team Sees Grid Comedy

Lower Merion's football players, victors over Radnor last Saturday, were guests of the Egyptian Theatre in Cynwyd Wednesday night, at a performance of "Hold 'Em Jail," a Wheeler and Woolsey farcical football film.

Pickpockets at Narberth Play Get Ninety Days

Two men arrested on suspicion of having stolen the wallets of George B. Supplee, Narberth Superintendent of Public Works, and Edward S. Haws, Borough Councilman, at the performance of the Narberth Players at the school last Friday night, were sentenced to 90 days in the County jail by Magistrate Thomas W. Cronin at a hearing Wednesday morning at the Lower Merion Police Court, Ardmore.

Mr. Supplee picked out the pictures of the two in the Philadelphia Rogues' Gallery and the men were subsequently arrested by Philadelphia detectives at Eighth and Vine street and turned over to Lower Merion police. They are James Cohen, 45, and Joseph Hogan, 62, no address, both of whom have criminal records for many years and have been convicted several times on petty charges.

Two other members of the audience at the play last Friday assisted in identifying the men at the hearing on Wednesday.

Ridley Park Eleven to Meet Maroon Tomorrow

Ridley Park comes to Pennypacker Field tomorrow afternoon for Lower Merion's final game and the second meeting of the two schools in history.

In 1921 the two schools fought a tough battle in back of the high school, Lower Merion losing, 7 to 6. Captain Quinn scored a touchdown in the game, but Center Phillips, of the visitors, fell on a fumble over the goal line and the extra point was made on a plunge for the winning margin. So far as can be ascertained this was the first and only meeting of the institutions until this season. Fullback Kurlish is the main threat of the Ridley Park team, but Cornog has twenty-five men from last year's squad who make up a formidable machine. The Maroon will have to show all its strength to come out victorious. Ridley Park held Radnor to a scoreless tie, and outgained them consistently at Wayne a few weeks ago.

Taitt Elected President of Men's Association

Officers elected at the meeting of the James C. Simpson Men's Association, held Tuesday night at the Narberth Baptist Church, are: Walter B. Taitt, president; Maxwell L. Stoughton, vice-president; F. Van Buren Connell, treasurer, and Alan J. Smith, secretary.

Four reels of interesting moving pictures taken in South Africa were exhibited by Albert L. Douglas, who spent three years there on business. They included shots of the copper and gold mines, as well as the animal life. There were thirty present at the meeting.

Make Hospital Movie

A moving picture giving intimate glimpses of the work of Bryn Mawr Hospital, in which many prominent society women of the Main Line take part, has just been completed. Mrs. Stacey B. Lloyd, Mill Creek and Gulph roads, Ardmore, chairman of the Women's Board of the hospital, directed the making of the film. It will be shown in Main Line theatres this week-end.

More Help is Needed in Barrel Campaign

Requisitions for Supplies From
Relief Agencies Becom-
ing Heavier

With more than 11,000 articles of food contributed since the beginning of the campaign, the Barrel Division of the Main Line Emergency Committee is working hard to increase the weekly receipts of staples and canned goods.

Every week the requisitions by the relief agencies are becoming heavier, emphasizing the need of a general observance of the "Share-a-Meal" slogan adopted by the committee, it was pointed out this week by Lester S. Lamb, chairman.

"Many people have asked," Mr. Lamb said yesterday, "and probably many others have wondered, just what happens to the cans, packages, and other articles of food and clothing placed in the green barrels located in nearly all the grocery stores on the Main Line from Bala-Cynwyd to Malvern."

"Once a week collections are made by the Lower Merion Police from the stores in the lower end, and, comprising Bala-Cynwyd, Merion, Narberth, Ardmore, and Bryn Mawr. Likewise the Radnor Township Police collect weekly in the upper district, comprising Wayne, Berwyn, Paoli, and Malvern. These collections are brought to distributing centers, located in Ardmore for the lower end, and in Wayne for the upper end. Here they are sorted and itemized by the Women's Committee of women headed by Mrs. William T. Dickson.

"On this same day of collection each week, representatives from four Main Line charitable organizations make requisitions to take care of some of their needs. These organizations are: The Main Line Federation of Churches, The Red Cross of Paoli, The Neighborhood League of Wayne, and the Bala-Cynwyd Social Service League. None of these collections are distributed through any other agency.

"These contributions have helped tremendously to enable the Main Line Emergency Committee to spread out relief funds for other needs besides food and clothing—such as coal, wood, rent, etc. Your continued response to this campaign throughout the coming winter months will therefore be very much appreciated."

Literature Program at Women's Club Tuesday

The Women's Community Club of Narberth will hold its regular meeting in the Girl Scout wing of the Community Building on Tuesday afternoon at 2.30.

The program will be in charge of the Literature Department, Mrs. Walter J. Odiorne, chairman. Mrs. L. C. Pickles will be the speaker and her topic will be "Idiosyncrasies of Illustrious Men." E. S. MacCawley will give a fifteen-minute talk on "Current Books." Mrs. Robert A. Compton is the hostess.

The Art Department will make a pilgrimage to Bryn Athyn on Wednesday. Mrs. P. A. Wales is the chairman. Members are to meet at the Narberth Station at 1.30 P. M. Mrs. Edward Heymann is in charge of the transportation.

The Board of Directors will hold a meeting at the home of the president, Mrs. J. A. Hongler, on Merion avenue, at 10.30 A. M., December 6.

Narberth Players Give Fine Performance of "Three Wise Fools" Before Packed House

The Narberth Players opened their season auspiciously with a smooth performance last Friday night of "Three Wise Fools," a highly amusing comedy with melodramatic touches, before a packed house. It was given in the auditorium of the Narberth School.

The play concerned three old cronies, a judge, a psychologist and a financier, well settled in routine, who suddenly found themselves the guardians of the daughter of a woman all three of them had once loved. Marvelous changes are wrought by her presence in the household until an attempt is made on the judge's life by an escaped convict. Suspicion is directed upon the ward, Sydney Fairchild as an accomplice until through

Played Part Well



J. BEDFORD WOOLEY
Penn Valley architect, whose portrayal of "Theodore Findley," in "Three Wise Fools," given last Friday by the Narberth Players, won acclaim from the audience.

Juniors' Fall Dance is Tomorrow Night

Music From 8.30 to 12 at Annual Affair to be Held at Legion Room

CLUB GIVES BASKET

Tomorrow night is the night—the Fall Dance of the Junior Community Club—an auspicious occasion in the annals of the season's activities.

There will be subdued lights, confetti and noise-makers, punch and a specialty dance by one of the club's own talented members, Mrs. J. Milton Kent, who will show us how Canada trains her dancing daughters.

Miss Alberta Davis is chairman of the dance; Miss Margaret Burrell, Mrs. Paul C. Boyd and Mrs. James D. Moore are assisting with the punch, favors and publicity, while a score of other members are attending to details designed to give the many guests who will attend an evening of happy enjoyment. Music will play from 8.30 until 12, and admission, payable at the door, is \$1.50 for two.

The Club's welfare chairman, Mrs. Clifford Goodwin, was authorized to purchase a large basket of food as the Thanksgiving gift of the Club to some worthy Narberth family. Clothing and other articles of comfort has already been distributed through the Club to needy persons in the community, and Mrs. Goodwin is working in contact with the local relief organization in order that the Juniors' help may go where it is most necessary. The final count of garments donated by the girls in the recent needlework guild contributions amounted to 100 articles—a worthwhile record, the Club feels.

J. G. M.

Leaves \$28,000 Estate

An estate valued at \$28,000 was left by William Warren Fiske, late of Merion, according to his will, probated at Norristown recently. A trust fund of \$5000 was created for the benefit of a sister, Sarah Fiske, of Hartford, Conn., and a brother, I. P. Fiske, of Coventry, Conn. Another trust fund of \$5000 was set up for the maintenance and education of a grandson, William W. Fiske, who is to receive the principal when he reaches the age of 21. The residue of the estate is divided among four children.

Twenty-Six Students Win Reading Honors

Awards Presented at Meeting of
Parent - Teachers
Monday

OVER 200 ATTENDED

On Monday evening twenty-six students of the Narberth school came to the regular monthly meeting of the Narberth Parent-Teachers' Association to reap the reward for their summer travels. Through a course of reading planned by the Narberth Community Library, these children were transported to many foreign lands, studied the people, their customs, their problems; visualized the scenery, the notable buildings, homes and the contents of the art galleries and museums.

As evidence of their journeys, the children prepared maps indicating the routes traveled and wrote reports of what they had visualized and learned. Prizes were awarded by the P. T. A. for the most complete maps and reports, while all twenty-six received certificates. Miss Church, the librarian, told of the great interest the boys and girls took in their travels and presented the prizes of books. George Woodrow was the recipient of the award for the Second Grade; Billy Duncan for the Third and Fourth Grades; while Jean Carmody and Iris Goodrich, both received awards for the Fifth, Sixth and Seventh Grades. These children also received certificates and also the following: Elinor Abel, Edward Bailey, Louise Barnett, Dora Enz, Anne Forsythe, Anita Goodrich, Christine Hackman, Dorothy Havlick, Marjorie Havlick, Louise Johnston, Billy Kairer, Howard Kairer, Billy Joe Laird, Anna Kane Laird, Bernadette McKeown, Harry Middleton, Margaret Shaver, Marjorie Smith, Janet Stringfield, Betty Tober, Mary Tyson, Warren Vincent.

Mrs. Robert Fellows Wood gave a talk which made very apparent what a wonderful contribution books may be to the art of living. Mrs. Wood said that in ten years the circulation of books at the library had increased from 600 to 60,000.

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"Anti"-Merger Petitions Drafted by Committee

At a meeting of the Narberth Borough Citizens' Committee this week, petitions were drafted for circulation among residents who are opposed to the merger.

These petitions are being prepared and will be in circulation shortly. Signers may indicate if they are property owners. One form of petition will be for signatures of residents who have already signed the merger petition but have reconsidered their action.

Robert J. Edgar was elected chairman of the committee at a meeting held last week in the Legion Room.

Report on State D. A. R. Conference Given Regent

A very interesting account of the 37th annual Pennsylvania State Conference of the N. S. D. A. R. in York, Pa., was given by Mrs. Hugh Glenn Martin, Regent of the Dr. Benjamin Rush Chapter, at the meeting on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. J. Dohard, Wynnewood avenue, Narberth.

Mrs. John Pennington was the speaker and her topic was "Why."

A resolution was passed to join with the Merion and Jephtha Abbott Chapters in placing a bronze tablet on Old Buck Inn, Haverford, built by the son of William Penn, at which George Washington stopped over night on September 14, 1777.

Mrs. J. H. Baker assisted Mrs. Dohard in receiving.

Resigns as D. A.

W. Curtis Bok, of 5 Pennstone road, Bryn Mawr, has resigned as Assistant District Attorney of Philadelphia County. Mr. Bok is in Russia studying conditions there and is expected to return home at Christmas.

Xmas Club Totals \$25,000

Checks will be mailed by the Narberth National Bank to its 400 odd Christmas Club members on or about December 1, totaling approximately \$25,000. This amounts to an average of \$62.50 per member.

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Citizens and Council

That large gathering of citizens at the November meeting of Council was in its amiability principally significant of the rather unusual cordiality which exists between the people of Narberth and their taxing authorities. It is in marked contrast to the state of mind which apparently dominates public affairs at present in many other communities, and is an indication that hostility and suspicion need not be inherent in the relations of the people to their local government under the elective system.

The principal reason why that is so in Narberth is because the people here have never ceased to take an active personal interest in their local affairs and in the caliber of the men whom they put into office. Trouble inevitably develops in times like these in communities where in the past the people have through their own indifference permitted the public offices to drift into the hands of some self-perpetuating faction.

There are, however, some aspects of that meeting of citizens and Council which merit comment. In the first place, the Burgess and the President of Council bore down a little too hard on the argument that the people too infrequently attend the Council meetings. Why should they? The meetings of Council are usually concerned with very routine matters which the members of Council have voluntarily offered to attend to. Why does it imply any lack of civic interest and patriotism if citizens do not flock to the Council chamber once a month to watch a routine which they have reason to believe is in competent hands? If the people are alert at the times when councilmen and burgesses are being nominated and elected, and if they make sure at those times that good men are being put into office, isn't that enough?

Also, there was the suggestion made by the Burgess, which Mr. Wohlert later revealed had previously been made to him by Councilman Wood, that the people should draw up actual suggestions for the 1933 budget and show how the tax rate could be reduced 50 per cent. That is not a reasonable

Loose End

Residents of Montgomery avenue probably read with profound surprise the statement in Mr. Wohlert's letter, which we printed last week, that the zoning ordinance was a dead letter. It has been the experience of those property owners that the zoning ordinance was constantly and strictly enforced. We think that Mr. Wohlert's statement was broader in its implications than the facts justify, but we are aware that he probably had in mind one incident, affecting the small wooden building owned by the railroad on Haverford avenue, in which it appeared that an ordinance was somewhat ignored, in spite of vigorous protests on the part of some citizens. Possibly it was not the zoning ordinance which was involved at that time. It may have been the building code. Anyway, that loose end gives Mr. Wohlert, and others who care to use it, an argument that seems plausible and which we regret is available to them at all.

Shreds and Patches

Election Mourners

The Vagrant has been surprised by the number of people who seem to be completely dismayed by the recent Democratic landslide. He has heard that there is at least one woman who cried all of election night. It is not stated that she is the wife of a Republican office holder, which, of course, would put a valid explanation on her tears. Every American, 20 years of age or more, has experienced in his own life time a change from Republican to Democratic control of the Federal government, and is none the worse for the experience. The Democrats are not foreign invaders. They are not advocates of any un-American principles of government. Where were those people, who are now so overwhelmed by the outcome, during the six months that preceded the election? Every straw blowing in the wind during all that time indicated clearly that a Democratic victory was impending. Why had they not prepared their minds to meet the inevitable?

Twenty Million Can't Be Wrong

Republican though he is, The Vagrant recognizes that long continuance in power usually deadens the sensibilities of most men and parties, and he believes that one of the most valuable principles of the American form of government is that it provides frequent and stated opportunities for the people to make changes. Although it can happen that the men turned out of office may be more experienced, even more capable, than the new hands on the job, still the power of the people to force a change is exceedingly important and valuable. One Republican acquaintance of The Vagrant listened attentively to the returns on election night until the overwhelming nature of the Democratic victory was apparent. Then he snapped off his radio with the remark, "Well, twenty million Americans can't be wrong!" and philosophically went off to bed. The next morning he seemed to be personally reconciled to the new order of things and he has acted that way ever since.

Safety Valve

The desire for a change was so deep-seated and widespread throughout the nation that it is fortunate that a constitutional method of accomplishing that objective was available, and that the alternative, to which those people turned, was as innocuous as the Democrats really are. When many million people earnestly desire, all at the same time, to change their rulers, something serious is likely to happen if they are opposed by an inflexible and arbitrary power. Regardless of the caliber and individual capacity of the men who will be associated with President Roosevelt, at the outset, at least, public affairs under them will be benefited simply because their presence in office will be the consummation of the devout wish of so many millions of their fellow citizens. The defeated minority might as well make it unanimous. That will help them personally and benefit the country indirectly much more than the shedding of futile tears and voicing grave doubts regarding the safety of the republic.

Minority Postmasters

It would seem to be a little more right and proper that in a state which, like Pennsylvania, revealed a strong Republican majority, the people should be allowed to retain postmasters and other satisfactory federal officers who do represent the political convictions of the majority of those whom they serve. Here on the Main Line every community registered a decisive Republican majority, yet new postmasters will soon be in order, no doubt, and some of them will be men who could not win a popular election to the post. The Vagrant personally would not want to be a minority postmaster nor to hold any public office whatsoever against the manifest wishes of a majority of his fellow townsmen. But that is merely caviling at the ancient and dishonorable

suggestion to make to any unorganized group of citizens. If they are going to take the time necessary to assemble all the facts and prepare the budget, they might as well take affairs into their own hands entirely, abolish Council and administer the borough by means of a series of town meetings. It is distinctly up to Council to prepare the new budget and stand or fall by it. This is written not in criticism of any members of the present borough administration nor do we intend to imply any lack of confidence in the ability and intention of Council to prepare a budget that will satisfy a great majority of the citizens.

American spoils system in the perpetuation and enjoyment of which the Republicans have been just as active and efficient as the Democrats.

THE VAGRANT.

In the Mailbag

To the Editor of "Our Town:"

In last week's issue of "Our Town" Mr. Wohlert writes that he believes he can prove a tax saving by the proposed merger. Proof of any proposition must be based on facts. The Mergerites can present only suppositions or beliefs. IF the Township will appropriate amounts equal to those our Council does and at a lower tax rate, we will save some money obviously. But no one knows that they could or would do so.

Our Borough tax rate is to be reduced next year anyway, so what could be saved there and at what cost to our activities is purely a matter of guesswork. In the school taxes, the larger part of our expenses, there is, of course, the chief hope of a saving, but their estimate of saving \$40,000 is even based on the Township absorbing a \$25,000 loss in taxes. Why not get them to absorb \$35,000 so we can save \$50,000 a year. The unlikelihood of their doing anything of the kind was shown last spring at their meeting, May 11th, in their peremptory demand of cash for tuition before May 20th, or they would throw our children out of school. Our Board had arranged to pay during May and, of course, did, and would have done so anyway. Has Mr. Wohlert or any Mergerite demanded that school expenses be cut 50 per cent.?

Of course, like Borough taxes, it cannot be done, but if they stop building palatial monuments to School Boards, cut off luxuries and reduce administration costs, huge savings could be made.

Official reports say that in Philadelphia while attendance in school increased 40 per cent., tuition grew 66 per cent., and total expenses rose 481 per cent. Do not forget that wherever you live, and if you never have children, you pay school taxes as long as you live. Everyone should demand the utmost economy in public schools consistent with a good, not a university, education.

Those who oppose the merger ask "What price merger?" They do not approve the means being used to accomplish it. Like many others, I bought a property after years of residence in the Borough, because I liked the people, the community spirit, which is always much finer in a restricted entity, and the Borough form of government. Many in like position have had to move away and have rented their properties. Should a sufficient number of tenants with little interest in the Borough, induced by the plea of a saving in taxes, which would be very little for them, succeed in accomplishing the merger, even unknown to the property owners, would the later not be defrauded? Does Mr. Wohlert call this the "American Way?"

Such a change should be possible only if a large proportion of property owners, so decided after an exhaustive and open investigation, which is far from the plan being used.

Mr. Wohlert says our Playgrounds are being used by many non-residents. There are nifty individuals everywhere, who seize every opportunity to impose on good nature, but this does not nullify our right of control. He makes a grave charge against our zoning enforcement officials which he should be called on to substantiate. Referring to the recent Democratic landslide he intimates that this is no reason for Republicans to leave the country; we should stay and put our shoulder to the wheel and help. The logical corollary to this proposition would be that if in some way the Democrats should abrogate the Declaration of Independence and merge with Canada under British rule we "Should not be annoyed; we would still be here.... The Post Office and Station would still be Narberth."

As to his final ideas that "we will be able to control all of the surrounding territory.... and for each voting precinct we will have a Township Commissioner." I can only suppose that this is his idea of humor or sarcasm.

WALTER COWIN.

An Old-Timer Points Out

Some Pertinent Facts

To the Editor of "Our Town:"

It no doubt seems absurd to many why the Narberth School Buildings are on the outskirts of the town. Possibly it may sound just as absurd for me to say that when the first school building was erected, we that lived in what is now the Borough, were never consulted, nor at that time did the site of the school stand in the center

of the population. Like many other things, someone had an axe to grind. We paid our taxes and the Lower Merion School Board built the school where they pleased. Is it possible for me to predict that if we should be merged into the Township, we would receive the same treatment, irrespective of what was said in reference to our control of a Commissioner.

Again on the school question. If it costs the Narberth Board of Education about \$48,000 per annum, to send pupils to Lower Merion Schools and about \$63,000 to run our own schools, which, I understand, costs us 20 mills tax rate, I somewhat doubt that the Board of Education of Lower Merion would care to ask their taxpayers for an extra \$25,000 for Narberth pupils, which we are now paying in full. It may seem vague just where I get the \$25,000, which someone must pay. The tax rate of Narberth is about 20 mills. The Township rate is 12 mills, which is 60 per cent., or, in other words, the cost of educating the younger children will always remain the same, and it is supposed that the price that Narberth is paying Lower Merion is the actual cost for higher education. If we pay \$48,000 to Lower Merion and our tax rate is reduced to 12 mills, who pays the additional \$25,000, and, by the way, who pays for the deficit in the lower grade schools, which are located in Narberth?

It would seem to me that the School Board of Lower Merion would be very lax to let \$25,000 slip through their fingers and the amount they would be compelled to pay for the grade schools.

For twenty-five years I have had but little or no interest in the school affairs except to pay the taxes and to see that men and women of intelligence represent us on our School Board. It has been my policy never to usurp other people's jobs nor to be constant minority objector as to the running of other people's affairs. When we took our son out of the Narberth School, we told the Board the reason, but we did not try to disrupt the entire school system, which seems the policy of some minor objectors.

Most of the readers of your paper know exactly where I stand on the Merger question. Not because I hold one ounce of power in our small political horizon, nor am I a petty politician, as some of us anti-mergerites are being called, nor am I a groucher because I differ with those who wish to give away our birthright. Yes, I say donate to others the millions we have spent in making our town what it is today. Many laugh at us old timers; sneer that we are passe, but they would laugh on the other side of their faces, if they had been in our place thirty-seven years ago, with a few hundred dollars and a mountain to overcome. Yes, it has taken thirty-seven years to build the road beds which we will agree are the best in the County. It has taken thirty-seven years to live down the obnoxious name of Slippery Elm. It took nights and days of time (without pay) to lay the streets out as you find them today. We were to be isolated in reference to the sewerage system but we old timers put up a fight so that the future generations could live in peace and so that the offal would not be deposited in our back yards.

It seems that a very important thing has been overlooked, i. e., all Boroughs in the State of Pennsylvania must pay one-third towards the building of hard roads; we, the taxpayers, have shouldered the burden. Let me predict that many of us will live to see the day when Townships of the first class will be compelled to pay their one-third. How much will be our portion when Lower Merion is compelled to pay?

My friends, neighbors and fellow-citizens, we have ours,—we know that we will always have maintenance charges, but we are sure we will not have a big bonded indebtedness to pay our proportion of, for roads and sewers in the vast territory covered by Lower Merion Township.

Irrespective of who makes the assertion, I want to say that, outside of the main thoroughfares, which are State and County owned, the roads are 50 per cent. poorer than our bad roads (if we have any), and as for their lighting, I ever feel that a handy automatic would be pleasant company.

A few words in reference to the Budget. It certainly surprised me that, although only a few expected a 40 or 50 per cent. reduction in the tax rate, those few never took the trouble to find out how many real dollars had been saved in the last four or five years.

As to having the Council turned out, the party who suggested such a thing should be made to attend every Council meeting so that he could take lessons and learn that every dollar of his taxes is spent for the good of all of us. In the thirty-seven years of

the Borough's life, I want to put myself on record, that, irrespective of whom it may be, he or she could intimate that one dollar of the taxpayers' money has gone for graft, is a prevaricator.

I am led to believe that if we merge with the Township, the south side of the Railroad will be attached to Merion, and the north side will be merged with Wynnewood. May I ask, with such odds against us, could we expect a Commissioner to serve our interests?

In conclusion, let me say that I am delighted to have served the Borough, but, oh, how glad I am, that I was not a member of Council on the 14th of November, 1932. Because I certainly would have said something that would not have looked well in print.

C. A. S. McCLELLAN.

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Open Tournament at Bridge Club Monday

The Narberth Bridge Club will hold an open duplicate bridge tournament in the club rooms on Monday evening for the members and their guests. There will be prizes and refreshments. The winners in the open duplicate tournament last Friday afternoon, sponsored by the Women's Division of the club, were E. and W., Mrs. E. C. Griswold and Mrs. H. D. Simpson; N. and S., Mrs. C. A. Hammer and Mrs. Mark Morgan.

A closed duplicate tournament will be held this Friday afternoon by the members of the Women's Division.

A business meeting will precede the playing at 2 P. M., and all members are urged to attend.

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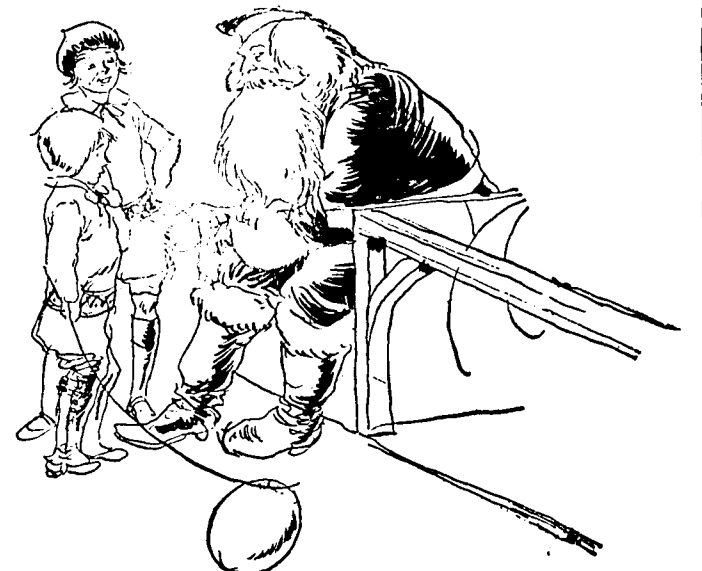
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THE FIRESIDE

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Means, of Montgomery avenue, Wynnewood, entertained at a family dinner party on Thanksgiving Day.

Miss Henrietta Deubler, who is a student at Cornell University, and Mr. Pearson Deubler, who is at State College, returned on Wednesday and are spending the Thanksgiving holidays with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. S. Deubler, of State and Hageysford road, Penn Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sones, their daughter, Miss Mary Jane Sones, and their son, Master Johnny Sones, and Mrs. Emma Best, of Muncy, Pa., spent the week-end as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burns F. Best, of Dudley avenue.

Mrs. G. R. Richardson and Mrs. L. M. Leonard, of Valley View road, Merion, spent the week-end in Altoona, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Alfred Peeney, of Elm Terrace, entertained at a family dinner party on Thanksgiving Day.

Mrs. Ward Pierson, of Stephney Place, entertained the members of her club at bridge on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. John W. Dennis, Anthwyn road, entertained at a luncheon and bridge on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ra A. Mizner, who have been spending some time at Chattanooga, Tenn., and on a motor trip in the South, recently returned to their home on Essex avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick R. Wray, of Chicago, Ill., and Highpoint, N. C., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Joyce, of Narbrook Park, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ripper, who have been spending some time in Pittsburgh, returned last Sunday to their home on Dudley avenue.

Among the guests who attended the bridge party given by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spear, of Homewood avenue, following the Penn-Cornell game, on Thursday night, were Mr. and Mrs. William F. Koelle, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Harold Happold, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Elwood, Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Eichelberger, Mr. and Mrs. Charlton F. Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Rushton, Mr. and Mrs. William D. Markee and Mr. and Mrs. Smedley Firth.

Mrs. E. C. Griswold, of Chestnut avenue, entertained her foursome at luncheon and contract bridge on Tuesday. The guests were Mrs. Clarence Kaebler, Mrs. J. H. Walker and Mrs. George W. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Eberhardt Mueller, of Essex avenue, had as their guests over the week-end, Miss Imogene Shaffer, of New York, and Miss Frances Schade, of Pottstown.

Miss Jane Nash, of Anthwyn road, is entertaining at a buffet supper following the Mulieres Dance in Elm Hall this Friday evening. The guests will be the members of the younger set.

Mr. Robert Sigel and Mr. Richard Sigel, arrived home Wednesday from State College and are spending the Thanksgiving holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sigel, of Forrest avenue.

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Win Princeton Scholarships
Four Main Line youths are among the 325 who have been awarded scholarships at Princeton University for the ensuing academic year, it was announced this week. They are Frederick W. Bates, of Narberth, and Carlisle Moore, of Wayne, Class of 1933; Arthur Hicks, of Bryn Mawr, Class of 1934, and John H. Archer, of Wynnewood, Class of 1935.

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Coal Fund Reserve is Urged by Hess

Balance is Tied Up in Merion Title and Trust, He Explains

The necessity of building up a financial reserve in the Coal Fund, sponsored every year by the Main Line Community Weekly Newspaper Council, was urged by Peter C. Hess, Lower Merion Township Treasurer, in a statement this week.

Mr. Hess, who is treasurer of the Coal Fund, said: "Disbursements of welfare agencies this year will be devoted to providing the bare necessities of life for the families of the unemployed. First of all, these include food and shelter. Provision for fuel is often overlooked. To my mind, proper heat in the homes of unemployed families is essential to health and contentment."

The treasurer of the Fund explained that the financial reserve remaining from unexpended moneys was tied up in the closed Merion Title and Trust Company. "We must start now," said Mr. Hess, "to rehabilitate the Coal Fund if we are to provide for the needy during the winter months ahead."

All contributions, Mr. Hess stated, should be marked "Coal Fund," and forwarded to him at his office in the Township Building, Ardmore.

Superintendent of Police Charles P. Smith is in charge of the fuel distribution. Requests for fuel should be made direct to him.

Mrs. Steinfeld is Chairman of Annual Xmas Bazaar

Something to look forward to will be the annual Christmas bazaar which will be held in the Parish Hall of the Narberth Methodist Episcopal Church on Saturday, December 3.

Mrs. E. Guy Steinfeld is the chairman and is assisted by Mrs. William Deaves and Miss Helen Strickler. One of the novelties will be the book shelf, Mrs. Ralph Cook, chairman, where one may buy the latest books of the season for Christmas presents and also books, slightly used but in good condition, and of a fairly recent printing, at a low cost. There will also be magazines and "The Christian Herald" on sale at this booth. The usual five-cent grab bag will have interesting prizes and the various tables will have a number of useful and ornamental articles for sale.

A delicious supper will be served from five P. M. until seven P. M. The price for the supper is 50 cents.

Merion Women Voters to Meet at Mrs. Byall's Mon.

The Merion Branch of the League of Women Voters will hold their November meeting on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. Bruce Byall, Bryn Mawr avenue, Penn Valley, at 3.30 o'clock.

Mrs. George Appel, the new president of the Montgomery League, will lead a discussion on the proposed project of a county survey.

To reach Mrs. Byall's house, go west on Montgomery avenue, turn right on Old Gulph road, and turn right on Bryn Mawr avenue, to the first driveway on the left.

Literature Group Meets
The literature group of the Women's Community Club of Narberth held a meeting on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John J. Martin, of Ardmore. Mrs. William Lewis reviewed a book entitled "The Military Racketeer."

Citizens Invited to Inspect New School

The Board of Education of Lower Merion Township invites all citizens to the public opening and inspection of the new Administration High School Building this Friday evening, from 8.30 to 10.30 o'clock. Music will be furnished by the orchestras and bands of the elementary and High Schools.

Appeals for Support for Narberth Fire Company

The following plea for support of the Narberth Fire Company was made this week by Mrs. Arthur Goldsmith. It is directed "to the serious minded and conscientious readers of this paper." The appeal follows:

"Do you know that the Narberth Fire Company faces a loss this year of one thousand dollars? Do you know why they may not be able to pay some of the money due on the Fire House mortgage?"

"It is because some three hundred and fifty of our residents have not paid the three dollars back dues to the Narberth Fire Company for this

fiscal year. Yes, I know this is hard times! But, on the other hand, is it too much to give up three dollars for at least three thousand dollars' worth of protection?"

"Our fire department is rated as A-1. In view of that rating, your fire insurance rate is lower, your piece of mind secure, and your homes and children protected."

"If, as you read, you know that you are not guilty of this gross neglect and thoughtlessness, please try to urge those about you who owe, to pay up at once, and others to join our forces by sending three dollars."

"The Narberth Fire Company is facing a 'Crisis.' Make this a genuine Thanksgiving for them (and for you), by Paying Up. Do It Now."

Fell Renominated

E. Lawrence Fell, of Conshohocken State road, Bala, has been nominated to succeed himself as president of the Union League. Election will take place on December 12.

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Scott's Paper

3 rolls, 25c

Super Suds

2 pkg., 15c

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Royal Anne Cherries	largest can, 23c
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Grape Fruit	medium size can, 15c
Grape Fruit Juice	3 cans, 25c
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TO AMEND ORDINANCE

A revised scale of charges for
building permits, providing for re-
ductions of \$1 to \$2 in the fees for
minor operations, was recommended
by the Building Committee of the
Narberth Borough Council at its
November meeting.The scale recommended provided
for the following charges: Opera-
tions under \$101, fee of \$1; opera-
tions costing from \$101 to \$300, fee
\$2; operations of \$301 to \$500, fee
\$3; operations of \$501 to \$1000, fee \$4.
For any building, alteration, addition
or repair of over \$1000 a fee of \$5
shall be charged, providing the total
floor area does not exceed 1500 square
feet. For each additional 500 square
feet \$1 additional will be charged.Under the former regulations a fee
of \$5 for new building of 1500 square
feet was charged, with \$1 additional
for each extra 500 square feet. For
alterations, repairs or additions, a
fee of \$1 per 1000 square feet or
portion thereof was charged. How-
ever, a minimum fee of \$3 was charg-
ed.The new scale of fees will be incor-
porated in an amendment to the Bor-
ough's Building Ordinance, which will
be made at a later date.Three building permits were issued
during the past month as follows:
Bryn Mawr Trust Company, 1236
Montgomery avenue, garage, \$3,700;
Charles Latch, 242 Dudley avenue,
garage, \$450; F. T. Terry, 323 Gray-
ling avenue, roof, \$270. Nineteen in-
spections were made by the Building
Inspector, five operations being com-
pleted.The report of the Highway and
Sewer Committee, submitted by its
chairman, Robert F. Wood, is as fol-
lows:"During the month of October the
Highway Department spent a total
of \$584.00 for labor and \$15.71 for
material. The material was used in
connection with clearing sewers. The
labor expenditure was divided as fol-
lows: \$379.74 for collecting 763 cubic
yards of ashes and rubbish; \$171.14
for cleaning the streets; \$20.27 for
clearing the sewers, and \$12.85 for
work on the recreation field."The sewer work was principally
confined to the removal of tree roots
which had clogged several sewer lat-
erals on upper Grayling avenue. The
cost of that work has been charged to
the seven property owners there who
were thus served."

In the Mailbag

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Mother Defends Narberth
Public School System

To the Editor of "Our Town:"

I am not an accountant, experienc-
ed in compiling figures; nor am I a
financier, experienced in the disburse-
ments of large sums of money—how-
ever, I am a citizen and a taxpayer
of Narberth for more than twelve
years, and a mother of two children
being educated in the Narberth Pub-
lic School. I do not want to talk
about Borough taxes, I'll leave that
for someone more experienced to do,
but I do want to say a few words
about the school system as I see it.To the persons who complain that
the school situation in the Borough
is acute, may I ask—where in Penn-
sylvania isn't it acute? Do these
persons complaining realize that the
Narberth school had last year the
largest Parent-Teachers' Association
in the entire county? Certainly dis-
satisfied parents would not join the
P. T. A.Have the persons criticizing the
School Board's management ever stop-
ped to consider the calibre and experi-
ence of the present School Board—
all but two of whom serve gratis—
giving of their busy time to benefit
OUR children?Have they ever visited the school
and become acquainted with the prin-
cipal and teaching personnel and dis-
covered for themselves what others
are doing for OUR children? See the
100 per cent. enthusiasm among
teachers and pupils. Consider the
school activities—the school paper—
the athletics and field day—and the
spring exhibit. It is nothing short
of marvelous the results being ob-
tained.Let these persons complaining, join
with the many parents and friends at
the Christmas pageant and SEE what
is being accomplished by the pupils"Heartbreak House," G. B. Shaw at His Best,
Presented at Hedgerow Theatre, Rose ValleyLovers of Shaw and the theatre at
its best would do well to journey over
to the Hedgerow Theatre in Rose
Valley to witness "Heartbreak
House." It was given one of its in-
frequent presentations there last Sat-
urday night.The play bears the sub-title, A Fan-
tasia in the Russian Manner on Eng-
lish Themes, and for sheer brilliance,
intellectual pyrotechnics and wit it
has few equals. And the Hedgerow
players do it full justice in their per-
formance. The cast is excellent and
includes that masterful actor, Jasper
Deeter, director of the Hedgerow The-through efficient teaching—notice the
entire atmosphere—the programs—
the music and the orchestra—and
then let them go away feeling their
criticism has been unfounded.To be true, there are some parents
living a distance from the school who
would desire their small children to
go to schools closer at hand. That
sounds logical, but let these parents
send these children to that school
paying their tuition the same as
all the parents of children attending
the Parochial School must do. Have
they ever considered there are about
three hundred children being educa-
ted at St. Margaret's—and these par-
ents are not complaining about their
double tuition. Stop and think a mo-
ment, what it must mean to a num-
ber of parents of these children—who
pay their share of our school tax and
must meet their own school tax also.Let us help our School Board, our
principal and the teachers by co-op-
erating with them. Their experience
along educational lines proves they
must "Keep on—Keeping on."
(MRS.) FLORENCE B. VINCENT.

Regarding the Merger

To the Editor of "Our Town:"

It is hardly reasonable to believe
that a majority of the citizens of the
Borough of Narberth could approve
of the surrender of the Borough Char-
ter and the incorporation of the Bor-
ough into the Township of Lower
Merion without looking at the propos-
al from both sides. Many important
facts are to be considered, not only
the past history of the Borough and
its present status as compared with
the Township, but the very important
future as it affects those who will fol-
low the present taxpayers.A folder, called "Questions and An-
swers Concerning the \$50,000 Tax
Saving Merger," presents a biased
viewpoint and offers only a saving in
taxes without any consideration for
values that do not appear on the tax
bill. For the past thirty-seven years
our citizens have been building a com-
munity that has attracted others to
the very limit of its capacity. That
we have built wisely and well we
learn by making a comparison with
any other borough, town or commu-
nity—and including our neighbors—
Lower Merion Township.The folder omits many important
considerations and the figures given
are open to question. Do the "Merger-
ites" propose to hand to Lower Mer-
ion Township a \$50,000 per year
"lemon?" And why does the Town-
ship seem to welcome the merger un-
less it is profitable to them? Who
saves what—and how?There may be a motive behind the
proposal. There are seven names on
the folder, six of the seven signers
resided, at the time the committee
was formed, on the south side of the
Borough. A Lower Merion grade
school is situated conveniently on
Bowman avenue and practically all
of these six committee members had,
or has, children of school age. It
means a walk up to Sabine avenue to
the Narberth School—or the payment
of about \$100.00 per year to attend
the Merion School. One solution for
the error of locating far away from
the school would be to "sell out" the
Borough to the Township. And they
ask us to sign on the dotted line!The "merger" proposal should be
presented fairly—for the present and
future good of all concerned—before
any signing is done and before any
steps are taken to steal and give away
our home—the Borough of Narberth!

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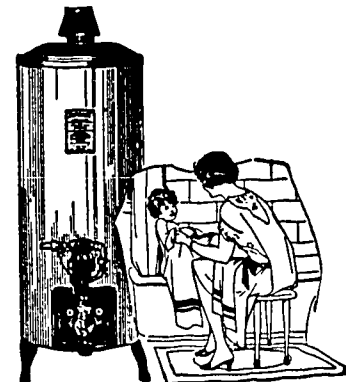
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THE FIRESIDE

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Mrs. Marye Donnelly, of Bloomfield, Michigan, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. F. Stevens, of Haverford avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Clausen, of Meeting House lane, are entertaining at a buffet supper and bridge party this Saturday evening. The guests are Mr. and Mrs. John W. Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin H. Linton, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth C. Meinken, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Franz and Mr. and Mrs. C. Carter Bond.

Dr. and Mrs. Garth Boericke, of Merion, entertained at dinner on Thanksgiving Day. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Metcalf Symmes, and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Fay Boericke.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel E. Jefferis, of Dudley avenue, are spending the Thanksgiving holidays in Buffalo, N. Y.

Miss Evelyn Jefferis is attending Junior Week at the University of Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Smith, of Merion avenue, are leaving on December 1 for St. Petersburg, Florida, where they will be at the Gladwyn Hotel, 143 First street, North, for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Smith and their daughter, Miss Helen Smith; Mr. Smith's mother, Mrs. Fanny Smith, of Paterson, N. J., were the guests of the Rev. Dr. John Van Ness and Mrs. Van Ness over Thanksgiving. Mr. Smith is a cousin of Dr. Van Ness.

Miss Gertrude M. Fenno and Mr. Robert F. Fenno, of Plainfield, N. J., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Fenno, of Essex avenue, for the Thanksgiving holidays and week-end.

Mrs. Joseph A. Aiken, of Iona avenue, has as her guests her mother, Mrs. Margaret Milroy, Mrs. Albert Powers, Miss Marlyn Powers and Mr. Arthur Payne, all of Cedarville, Ohio, this week. Mrs. Aiken and her guests spent Wednesday in New York. Mrs. Aiken entertained at dinner on Thanksgiving Day when her guests included Miss Margaret Tarbox, of Germantown; the Rev. R. N. Colman and Mrs. Colman and family and her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hall, of New York. Mrs. Hall is the former Miss Helen Aiken.

Mr. Joseph R. Aiken left by motor on Monday, accompanied by Mrs. Aiken's aunt, Mrs. Charles Stephenson, who has been their guest for two months, for Bellefontaine, Ohio, where he spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents.

Mrs. Thaddeus Bolton, of Wayne avenue, entertained Mrs. Ernest Dres and Miss Bertha Dinkellacher at luncheon on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. James D. Moore, of Dudley avenue, will entertain at a small buffet supper to celebrate their fifth wedding anniversary on Saturday, November 26, before the dance of the Junior Community Club at the Legion Rooms. They will have as their guests for the week-end Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Morris, of "Olney Farm," Philadelphia.

BRITISH BAZAAR

Will be Given December 1 Under Auspices of D. B. E. Chapters

A meeting of the Dr. Samuel Johnson Chapter of the D. B. E. will be held at the home of Mrs. C. Lloyd Whitney, the Regent, at Penfield, on Tuesday evening, November 29. This will be the last meeting before the British Bazaar which will be held at St. James Guild House, Philadelphia, all afternoon and evening of Thursday, December 1st, and as always, proceeds will go to the upkeep of the Victoria Home for aged British.

All the D. B. E. chapters will be represented at the Bazaar, and the Dr. Samuel Johnson, one of the very latest formed, will be represented at the "oddment" table. Coming as it does in December, there will be a great many suggestions for the Christmas shopping list, and the good things to eat, of which there will be many on sale, will include savory Cornish pasties, rich saffron cakes, good old-fashioned plum cake, shortbread, cheese cakes, sausage rolls, pork pies, cutlets etc.

Afternoon tea with scones, muffins and pastry will be served.

Those who have attended the Bazaar in other years well know of the bountiful supper served, all cooked by the members, a real rousing supper of cheer and good things to eat—thick slices of rare roast beef, cut straight from the joint, generous helpings of Yorkshire pudding, large hams, fragrant and spicy, mutton done to a turn, potatoes browned and piping hot, spices, pickles etc., all in their order, down to the last bite of deep apple pie, served with its bowl of custard and

Church Notes

The Presbyterian Church

Rev. John Van Ness, D.D., Minister

Meetings for November 27:

9.45 A. M.—Bible School. Rehears-

als for the Christmas entertainment.

11.00 A. M.—Morning Worship.

Sermon theme: "Christ in the Old Testament."

11.00 A. M.—The Junior Church,

directed by Mrs. A. S. Digby and

Mrs. H. A. Smith.

6.45 P. M.—Meetings of the three

Christian Endeavor Societies.

7.45 P. M.—Evening Worship. Ser-

mon theme: "Just Outside the

Door."

Next Tuesday Evening—The Com-

munity Bible Class, taught by Miss

Harrison.

Next Wednesday Evening—Prayer

Meeting.

Next Thursday—All Day Meeting

of the Women's Auxiliary—from 10

A. M. to 4 P. M. Sewing-business

meeting, luncheon, and a pleasant

social gathering.

On the evening of December 4 the

women of the Westminster Circle will

sponsor the meeting and will fur-

nish a chorus to assist in the music.

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church

Rev. Cletus A. Senft, Pastor

Sunday, November 27, 1932:

9.30 A. M.—Bible School.

11.00 A. M.—The Morning Service.

Theme: "The Coming of Salvation."

7.45 P. M.—The Annual Thank-

Offering Service. Mrs. Margaret See-

bach, who needs no introduction to

Lutheran Missionary circles, will

bring the message. The public is in-

ited.

Monday, 8.00 P. M.—Meeting of the

men of the church, looking forward

to the Every Member Visitation.

Tuesday, 8.00 P. M.—Ladies' Aid

Society at the home of Mrs. Weiss,

207 Hampden avenue.

Thursday, 6.45 P. M.—Confirmation

Class.

Thursday, 8.00 P. M.—Rev. Paul I.

Morentz, a Jew by birth, will give

the first of four Bible Studies in

Isaiah: "The Gospel Age." Bring

your Bible. Bring your friends.

Friday, 4.00 P. M.—Light Brigade.

Friday, 7.00 P. M.—Junior Choir

rehearsal.

Friday, 7.30 P. M.—Senior Choir

rehearsal.

Methodist Episcopal Church

Rev. Samuel MacAdams, Minister

Sunday, November 27:

9.45 A. M.—Sunday School.

11.00 A. M.—Morning Worship and

Sermon. "The Glory That Awaits

Us."

6.45 P. M.—Epworth League.

7.45 P. M.—Evening Worship and

Sermon. "What Is Life Eternal?"

Tuesday, November 29:

8.00 P. M.—Meeting of the Sun-

shine Bible Class.

Wednesday, November 30:

8.00 P. M.—Prayer Meeting.

Saturday, December 3:

9.00 A. M.—9.00 P. M.—Annual

Christmas Bazaar, under the auspices

of the Ladies' Aid Society. Dinner

will be served from 5.00 P. M. to 7.00

P. M. 50 cents each.

Baptist Church of the Evangel

Robert E. Keighton, Minister

Stanley T. Reiff, Organist

Sunday, November 27:

9.45 A. M.—The Church School.

10.00 A. M.—The Men's Class,

taught by the Pastor.

11.00 A. M.—Morning Worship.

Sermon: "The History of Religion."

7.45 P. M.—Evening Worship. Ser-

mon: "Radicalism in Religion."

Wednesday, November 30:

8.00 P. M.—The Midweek Service.

A study of the prayer of Jesus that

is recorded in Matthew 26: 39-42.

Two services to be noted:

December 4—7.45 P. M.—An Even-

ing Communion Service.

December 11—The day will be given

to the presentation and discussion

of the most important problems before

the Christian Church today.

AGAIN HEADS RED CROSS

Colonel J. Franklin McFadden

Chairman S. E. Penna Chapter

Colonel J. Franklin McFadden, of

Rosemont, was re-elected chairman

of the Southeastern Pennsylvania

Chapter of the American Red Cross,

Friday, at the annual reorganization

meeting. John Barnes Townsend, of

Radnor, was re-elected vice-chairman.

nutmeg, and flanked by a slice of

Cheshire or Cheddar cheese.

The public is cordially invited to at-

tend, and help swell the funds, as this

year the Bazaar promises to be better

than ever.



Leaves of Native Trees

Exhibited at Library

The Library is exhibiting for a

short while a collection of the leaves

of native trees in their fall coloring.

These leaves are mounted on cards

and each card represents one variety,

in most cases showing not only the

upper part of the leaf, but also the

underpart in order to display more

clearly the veining, and to aid in

identifying where the underneath part

presents a distinctive coloring. The

silver leaf maple is one of those where

the appearance of the under surface

of the leaf is a distinguishing fea-

ture and gives its name to the tree.

An especially interesting specimen

is that of the sassafras, which on

one twig shows the three forms to

be found on any sassafras tree, the

thumb, the three-lobed, and the entire.

It is rather late now to hope that

this collection may be of any assist-

ance in naming the trees this fall,

though sidewalks and gutters are still

gathering oak and maple leaves, while

lawns, which have not been too me-

ticulously raked, reveal occasional

hornbeams, dogwoods, and tulip pop-

lars. The specimens in the exhibit

were gathered this fall, pressed, and

then shellacked to the black card-

board.

The labels, giving both the botani-

cal name and the common name, were

verified by no less an expert than

the Garden Editor of "Our Town,"

who inspired the work in his Nature

Club.

AT ROSEMONT COLLEGE

Dr. Charles Fenwick to Give Series

of Talks on Political Problems

Dr. Charles Fenwick, well-known

lecturer on questions of the day, will

give a series of talks on "Present Day

Political Problems" at Rosemont Col-

lege, Rosemont, on the following

dates: November 28th, January 23d,

February 27th, March 23d and April

22d, at 7.45 P. M.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

General Notice—Classified Advertisements will be charged only to residents of the Main Line whose names appear in the telephone directory; to persons maintaining an account with us, or to regular subscribers to either THE MAIN LINER, OUR TOWN, or NEWS OF BALA-CYNWYD.

Rates—10 cents a line in each paper, 25 cents a line in all three. Minimum charge, 35c in one paper; 75 cents in all three. Average of five words to the line. No black-faced type used.

Deadline for Insertions—Classified advertisements will be accepted up to Wednesday, 5 o'clock for OUR TOWN or all three papers; Thursday, 1 o'clock for THE MAIN LINER; Thursday, 5 o'clock for NEWS OF BALA-CYNWYD.

Phone Your Ads to ARDMORE 3100

Help Wanted

PRACTICAL NURSE, housework, small adult family in apartment. Wages, \$30 mo. Phone Narberth 3710. oml-25

Situations Wanted

POSITION wanted by lady as general assistant in private family. Home more consideration than salary. Apply to "L," care The Main Liner, Ard. oml-25

WHITE WOMAN desires day's work. Long Main Line experience. Refs. Ph. Ard. 3100. omb-tf

LAUNDRY AND DAY'S WORK desired. References. Ph. Cynwyd 886. omb-11-25

HOUSEKEEPER or Practical Nurse or Housekeeper-Companion. Will take care of children evenings. Write W. L., care of Our Town. oml-25

TYPIST—Refined young lady desires full or part time work. Will do typing at home. Call Narberth 2284. oml-25

EXPERIENCED BOOKKEEPER will keep set books for doctor, individual or store, in spare time, or will do typing. Ph. Narberth 3682-R. omb-tf

DAY'S WORK desired, Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday. Refs. Ph. Ardmore 999-W. omb-11-25

MIDDLE-AGED white woman, experienced and reliable, wants permanent position as cook and general housework. Refs. Ph. Mer. 1224. omb-11-25

CHAUFFEUR, Houseman educated, English, desires position, full or part time. Excellent refs. Ph. Ard. 2658. omb-tf

WORK of any kind desired, or laundry to take home. Refs. Ard. 3836. omb-tf

HIGH SCHOOL girl desires pos. as mother's helper. Care of children. Ph. Ard. 3836. omb-tf

HIGH SCHOOL BOY wishes part-time work of any kind at reasonable wages. Outdoors or indoors. Phone Narberth 4161. omb-tf

COLORED woman desires day's work, laundry, cooking or serving dinners. Good refs. Ph. Ard. 1936. omb-tf

GRADUATE NURSE will take part time or full time position. Can take charge of Doctor's office or will take one or two patients in her home. Write "R," Main Liner or call Ardmore 3100. omb-tf

For Sale

TYPEWRITERS sold, rented and repaired, reas. office supplies. Suburban Typewriter Co., Times Medical Bldg. Ph. Ard. 1378. omb-tf

Armistice Day Program in Narberth Jr. High School

On November 11th in the auditorium we had an Armistice Day program. Charles Vigners opened the program by reading the Bible, leading in the salute to the Flag, the Lord's Prayer, and the School Creed. Mr. Drennen gave a notice about the book week contest. He introduced Mr. Ralph Dunne, a Narberth resident, who related some of his experiences in the World War. Mr. Dunne was a Naval intelligence operator during the World War. His experiences were very interesting and exciting. Mr. Dunne's assignments were "shadowing" or following people who were suspected of communicating with the German Army about American plans. After Mr. Dunne's talk, Julia Hess read "In Flanders Fields," and Josephine Rentschler read "America's Answer." After the poems, John Krout read part of the Paris Peace Pact. The program was closed by the singing of the "Star Spangled Banner."

RONALD PAIGE, 8th Grade.

Book Week

Last week at school we observed the nationally known Book Week. It runs from the thirteenth to the nineteenth of this month. We have posted on the library bulletin board about forty different pictures, each one representing a book. One day in English class we will go up to the library and write down on a piece of paper the titles and authors of the different books. The papers will be handed in and corrected. The one who has the largest number correct will be given a book. Every one is interested in this contest.

JOHN KROUT, 8th Grade.

Shick Tests Administered

To aid in the prevention of Diphtheria, Toxin Anti-Toxin treatments were given to the Narberth school children, beginning Tuesday. For those who have previously had injections, a Shick Test will be given to determine if the child is immune from Diphtheria, or must repeat the injections. Many children have completed this test; and to those who had not done so, notices were sent to their parents advising that the treatment be given on Tuesday by Doctor Sloan. The cost of these treatments is twenty-five cents.

JOHN KROUT, 8th Grade.

Contract Bridge

A Weekly Series By
Mrs. Georgene Sickels Van Court
Beechwood Park
Associate Teacher of the
Culbertson National Studios

Lesson IV

The Forcing Take-Out Bid

Partner bids one heart, you bid two spades; or partner bids one spade, you bid three clubs. In each case you have bid just exactly one trick more than necessary to change the contract. You have now made the most coveted bid in contract! What information does this bid give your partner?

First, that you have a strong hand with 3 or more defensive honor tricks, and with such distribution that you believe there must be a game if the correct contract is reached.

Second, this is a FORCING BID which compels both you and partner to keep the bidding open till a game is bid by one of you. You make this forcing bid because you know that you and partner hold between you at least 5½ H. T. (his original bid promised 2½ H. T.) Applying the "rule of 8," there are in every deal between 8 and 8½ H. T. If you and partner hold 5½ H. T. you should be able to make

Twenty-Six Students Win Reading Honors

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Over two hundred parents and teachers crowded the school auditorium for this P. T. A. meeting, which was the second of the season. One hundred fifty-eight members are on the roll and it is expected that the membership will more than double before the December meeting. It was reported that brilliant speakers would be provided for some of the subsequent meetings and it is evident that the Narberth Association will accomplish much in bringing about a better understanding of children and their problems.

While reading was the chief subject for the meeting Monday night, variety was provided by music and a short pageant presented by students of the school under the auspices and direction of the Philadelphia Interstate Dairy Council.

Leonore Crispin, a student of the Eighth Grade, delighted the audience with her rendition of a piano selection of her own composition, which indicated a rare talent.

The pageant was called "Sleeping Beauty," and was prettily staged and acted to indicate the necessity for a well-balanced diet with plenty of milk, fruit and vegetables. Sunshine and fresh air with plenty of exercise were also shown to be vital for the healthful life. The children taking part in this performance were Arthur Denman, Lucy Censore, Emily Schembs, Helen Mellor, Betty Brearly, Elinor Moore, Anne Forsythe, Roger Fox, Harriet Seasholtz and William C. Griffiths.

Miss Jeannette Dell, of the faculty, who has under her direction the publishing of the "Sun Dial," the student paper, told of the splendid accomplishment of the children in gathering the news, editing, circulating and publishing the paper, as well as its business management. In a competition last year for school papers, the "Sun Dial" was awarded first prize. Miss Dell expressed the hope that each family represented in the school could subscribe to the real newsy publication, which plays such an important part in the school life.

Dr. George A. Sloan, the school physician, explained the tremendous importance of inoculation for diphtheria, and made it clear that all children could guard against this dread disease by vaccination at the school.

Mrs. Horace I. McConnell explained the Pennsylvania State Students' Loan Fund, which is making possible the continuance of an education for many students. This worth while work is made possible by contributions from Parent-Teachers' Associations and individuals. The Narberth P. T. A. has contributed and any persons who care to are invited to give.

The time for the December meeting of the association will be announced at a later date. Meanwhile the various study groups are meeting regularly, making great progress in various phases of child welfare.

Birth Control Federation to Meet on Wednesday

How birth control, more than reduction of armaments, may prevent future wars, will be discussed at the annual meeting and luncheon of the Pennsylvania Birth Control Federation, 12.30 next Wednesday at The Warwick, Philadelphia. Many Main Line women are interested in the movement and will be present, including Mrs. E. C. Town, chairman of education of the Narberth Women's Community Club, who invites all interested Main Liners to attend.

Speakers are listed as follows: Stuart Mudd, M.D., of Haverford, chairman of the department of Bacteriology, U. of P.—"Trend of Eugenic Movement;" Mrs. F. Robertson Jones, president of American Birth Control League—"National Aspects of Birth Control;" Dr. E. A. Whitney, chief physician at Elwyn Training School—"The Need For Sterilization," and Emily B. H. Mudd, counselor of the Philadelphia Marriage Council—"Glimpses of Important Foreign Clinics."

Grid Triumph on Screen

Through the efforts of Joseph Conway, managing director of the Egyptian Theatre, Cynwyd, Pathe News cameramen made sound pictures of the exciting Lower Merion-Radnor game at Villanova last Saturday. These are now being shown in every theatre on the Main Line.

Carl Johnson Hero of Lower Merion's 12-8 Win

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showed the speed and elusiveness that were destined to wreck Radnor's hopes and carry the colors of Lower Merion to victory. His twenty-six yard race through the mud toward the east tied the score, six to six, and after a third quarter rest, with the scoreboard reading eight to six for Radnor, with the slippery pigskin tucked under his right arm, off he went toward the setting sun for forty-one yards and victory.

This story of the game sounds very much like a story of Carl Johnson. It is, but it is more. There were other men on Adam's team that wet afternoon. Buried deep in Villanova mud during the forty-eight minutes of play were such fellows as Harvey Buck, a phantom who could not be stopped by anyone but fate. He took a licking all through the game, but he did his part in the fashion of a champion. There was Charlie Sautters, playing a grand game at halfback; Mike Iacovelli, who pulled two or three plays that saved the day when Radnor switched to an aerial attack; Coffman and Zengel playing hard and running the ball with intelligence. Adam had a line in the game that outcharged Radnor all during the fray. Talley and Ryan played the best game of their careers. It was Ryan who made tackles all afternoon; it was Talley who snared the ball from the air on numerous occasions. Miller, Captain Bob Taylor, Kearne, Endicott, and many others who saw action, did a grand bit of offensive and defensive work during the afternoon.

It seemed after Buck's disheartening break in the last minute of the first half that the fates were dead set against the Maroon. Fumble after fumble, tough break after tough break, seemed to stalk the Merionites. A bad pass from center gave Radnor the lead with a safety. Once Buck was free in the third quarter, only to slip in the mud with no hand upon him. Four fumbles in the shadow of the Radnor goal posts. And thus the story ran. But out of the clouds and the depression darted a dusky half-back, victory tucked under a good right arm and lightning in his heels, Carl Johnson was over the line and the day was won.

Girl Scout Notes

A greater part of the meeting of Narberth Girl Scout Troop, No. 8, on Tuesday, was devoted to our Welfare Work. It was decided to give the dues received for two weeks to the United Campaign.

Subscriptions for the "American Girl," the Girl Scout magazine, were solicited.

Mrs. Clifford W. Bates will be glad to give any information relative to the Children's plays given by the Theatre Guild. She may be reached by telephone at Narberth 3941-W.

Plans for a hike are being made, the date Saturday, November 26.

There are several booklets on Scouting to be used as reference in the Community Library which would be very interesting to anyone wishing to learn more definite facts about the Girl Scouts.

Three new girls were admitted to the Troop by successfully passing their Tenderfoot Tests. We are pleased to welcome Ruth Woolmington, Lois Nealy and Eleanor Whiting.

Next Tuesday the registration fee for the current year of fifty cents for each girl will be collected.

The Scribbler, INKY.

Rent Rosemont Home

Hall & Harris have rented for Edward Davis to Charles Wahl, the English style tile residence of thirteen rooms with three baths, two-car garage and about 1-3 acres of ground, situated on the northerly side of Orchard road, Rosemont.

The Narberth Players Present "Three Wise Fools"

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mance which left nothing to be desired while John E. Flynn, a newcomer to the Players, as Gordon, the young nephew who steals the affections of Miss Fairchild, was a lover of parts, giving a finished performance. James D. Sutherland was a well poised judge who would bring credit to the bench. Alan J. Smith as the "eminent psychologist," Dr. Richard Gaunt, gave a well rounded portrayal.

Other members of the cast, each of whom performed his part with distinction, were John Baker as "Benny the Duck"; Elmer D. Hackman, as Gray, the butler; Hervey C. Keim, as Poole, the detective; Joseph A. Honger as Clancy, Jere Gorman as Douglas; James F. Sherron, Jr., as a policeman, and Elmer A. Lane as John Crawshaw.

The Play, directed by William H. Muller, was produced by special arrangement with Samuel French, of New York. Music was provided during the intermissions by the Norwood Orchestra under the leadership of R. B. Parker.

Members of the Narberth School Board attended the performance in a body as the guests of the Players.

\$117,666 Contributed to United Campaign

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Overbrook, special committee, \$68,239; team, \$8,236; total, \$76,475.

Merion (south), \$9,980; \$3,639.50; \$13,619.50.

Narberth, \$4,645; \$3,921.55; \$8,566.55.

Wynnewood, \$29,058; \$4,151; \$33,209.

Ardmore, \$28,185; \$5,425.30; \$33,610.30.

Haverford, \$81,534.25; \$9,877.09; \$91,411.34.

Bryn Mawr, \$73,937.74; \$6,599.78; \$80,537.52.

Rosemont, \$28,936; \$2,683.64; \$31,619.64.

Villanova, \$58,572.15; \$3,362.83; \$61,934.98.

Radnor, \$21,135; \$2,365.05; \$23,500.05.

St. Davids, \$17,955; \$2,269.05; \$20,224.05.

Wayne, \$10,665; \$4,414.50; \$15,079.50.

Stratford, \$4,400; \$569.35; \$4,969.35.

Devon, \$18,800; \$2,070.50; \$20,870.50.

Berwyn, \$6,760; \$1,937.90; \$8,697.90.

Paoli and Malvern, \$21,250; \$2,133.39; \$23,383.39.

Wynnefield, \$3,070; \$2,208.50; \$5,278.50.

Gladwynne, \$7,438.25; \$803.82; \$8,242.07.

Haverford Township, \$1,705; \$6,117.28; \$7,822.28.

Valley Forge, \$5,000; \$335; \$5,335.

Merion (north), \$137,780; \$2,558.55; \$140,338.55.

Main Line District totals, \$639,125.39; \$76,060.08; \$715,185.47.

Grenfell to Lecture at Haverford Wednesday

Sir Wilfred Grenfell, K. C. M. G., who has just returned from his forty-first year in Labrador, will tell of his work and experiences in an illustrated lecture at Haverford College on Wednesday evening at 8.15 o'clock.

Receipts from the lecture will be used to further the work of the Grenfell Association, which supports in Labrador five hospitals, three hospital ships, five summer schools, seven nursing stations, four orphanages and boarding schools, four winter schools, 12 centers for the distribution of new and second hand clothing and 14 industrial centers.

The lecture is sponsored by the Philadelphia Branch of the Grenfell Association of America.

"Teen Age" Group to Meet

The "Teen Age" study group, under the leadership of Mrs. J. H. Perry, of Grayling avenue, will meet at the home of Mrs. C. H. Woolmington, Narbrook Park, on Monday afternoon at 1.30. Everyone interested in this discussion is invited.

Estate Left in Trust

The will of James Edward Merion, late of Haverford, admitted to probate at Norristown last Friday, places an estate valued at \$50,000 in trust for the benefit of his wife and other members of his family. At the termination of all the trusts the fund is to be used for a hospital in Columbus, Ohio, to be known as the "James Edward Merion Memorial Hospital."

International Relations Group Hears of China

The International Relations Group of the Narberth Community Club had as its guest speaker on Monday afternoon, at the meeting at the home of the chairman, Mrs. Leon Webster Melcher, Meeting House lane, Miss Bertha Dinkellacker, whose subject was "China Today."

Miss Dinkellacker, for some time a medical missionary in that country, gave an interesting outline of the political and social unrest there and of its lack of real leadership. She also spoke of the fine zeal and leadership of Sun Yet Sen, who, unable to find help for China in other countries turned to the Communistic ideas of Russia. These were implanted by Sun Yet Sen in China with the best intentions, and, the speaker said, are doing much damage there.

She said China's future must depend on the kind of leadership which it develops for at present she has no responsible government.

Miss Dinkellacker praised Pearl Buck's book, "The Good Earth," and said it is a true word picture of Chinese life in the great strata in which it is laid.

The next meeting of the International Relations Group will be held at the home of the chairman on Monday, December 5, when the topics to be discussed will be the Polish Corridor and the Tariff.

Orchestra's Playing is Well Received

That people are attending the concerts of the Main Line Orchestra because they enjoy the music and not from a sense of obligation to support the organization was evident at the season's first concert, given last Sunday evening at the Ardmore Theatre.

The tone quality of the orchestra, which numbered over 60 musicians on the stage, was excellent throughout the program, which included the difficult Mozart "Jupiter" Symphony.

The boy violinist, Arnold Fletcher, received an ovation for his playing of the Mozart C Minor concerto. Long and difficult as this piece is, there were no lapses in the performance of the 14-year-old youth.

An innovation at this concert was the appearance of all the feminine members of the orchestra garbed in black dresses, with the result that the players presented a harmonious aspect with no jarring colors.

A slight mishap, the breaking off of a leg of the piano as it was being moved to the back of the stage following the conclusion of the concerto for piano and orchestra, interfered very little with the progress of the concert.

A well-filled house manifested its appreciation of the fine playing of the orchestra throughout the concert. The program, conducted by Adolph Vogel, included Von Suppe's "Poet and Peasant" Overture and "Suite for Strings," by Carse, in addition to the Mozart concerto and symphony.

Friends' Meeting on Eagle Road to Observe Anniversary

The Haverford Friends Meeting, Eagle road, Oakmont, will have a meeting in commemoration of the 250 anniversary of the landing of William Penn and founding of Old Haverford Meeting, this Sunday from three to five o'clock. Speakers will be Mary C. Dickinson who will give a historical paper on the meeting; and Samuel J. Bunting, Jr., who will talk on the subject, "Is the Religion of William Penn Still Vital Today?" The chairman of the committee on religious education, Dr. Edward E. Wildman, will talk on "Living Memories to William Penn." He is also director of science education and on the board of public education. Tea will be served.

Three More Plays at Hedgerow Before Recess

Only one performance week remains before the Hedgerow Theatre company takes its first vacation in two years. December 1, 2 and 3 are to be given over to three American plays, two of which were newly introduced this year and one of which has remained steadily popular since its opening in the first season of the life of this repertory company nine years ago. Eugene O'Neill's "The Emperor — Jones" is the show for Thursday night.

The newest addition to the repertory is scheduled for next Friday night—"Alison's House" by Susan Glaspell. It tells the story of the family of a poet on the last day of the 19th century as the house where the poems had been written is being sold. The closing play before the holiday is "Spring Song," the drama of an East Side family, by Bella Spewack, to be presented next Saturday night.

Since the beginning of the present year the Hedgerow Theatre in Rose Valley has added ten new productions, making its entire list now number 91 full length plays. Between April and November—six months of the year—it has consistently presented six different plays a week, and in a few instances seven, when special performances were included. The early part of December seems to be the time, therefore, for this acting company to take a breathing spell. In the week between Christmas and New Year's the theatre will be reopened and the company will return to begin a new season of repertory, with a different play being presented every night.

M. and Mrs. Charles Carver, Jr., of Portland, Oregon, are spending several months at Green Hill Farms, Overbrook. Mr. Carver is the son of the late Mr. Charles Carver, of "Carleton," Haverford.

Local Movies

"Love Me Tonight" Heads Good Shows at Egyptian

Says Eric M. Knight, of "Love Me Tonight," now playing at the Egyptian, with Maurice Chevalier, Jeanette MacDonald and Charles Ruggles: "It is one of the few talkies that can be praised unreservedly.... Other films have had good players, some good directors, some good cameramen. This one combines superlative workmanship in all departments as seldom before. It is Reuben Mamoulian making the whole greater than any of its parts. Music and fantasy, moving lights and shades in fascinating rhythm...."

Also on the week-end program are a funny Laurel and Hardy comedy and news of the Lower Merion-Radnor football game.

"Okay America," next Monday and Tuesday at the Egyptian, is praised by the joint committees of associated national women's associations thus: "Portrayed with real sincerity; striking story, very well filmed, of slip young reporter who tracks down kidnappers of rich girl.... Sense of heroism and integrity."

"Divorce in the Family," coming Wednesday and Thursday, including after-school matinee Wednesday, is described by the same reviewers as "A highly idealistic picture with interesting child psychology.... Young boy resents mother's remarriage; efforts at understanding made by the two fathers averts tragedy...." Cast includes Jackie Cooper, Conrad Nagel, Lewis Stone and Lois Wilson. Next week-end's feature, "70,000 Witnesses," is a keenly interesting and novel murder mystery centering around a football game.

Narberth Theatre Notes

A good cast, headed by Lee Tracy and Mary Brian, make a pleasant event of "Blessed Event," at Narberth this week-end. For Saturdays' matinee there are Tom Mix and his horse Tony in "The Texas Bad Man." Joel McCrea and Dolores Del Rio,

with "Skeets" Gallagher, are coming Monday and Tuesday in "Bird of Paradise," based on R. W. Tully's famed play. It is an exotic tale of Luana, Hawaiian child of nature, who falls hopelessly in love with a white man. Wednesday and Thursday will be double-feature days at Narberth. "Monte Carlo Madness" is an amusing, tuneful, highly praised Continental film, starring Sari Maritza, who as queen falls in love with the skipper of one of her cruisers, at Monte Carlo. Other half of the program is "South Sea Adventures," in which the author, Zane Grey, makes a great sea catch and shares his travel-view of barbaric feasts, sensuous dances, weird music, etc.

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Sat. Mat. Only—Added:
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Joel McCrea and Dolores Del Rio
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Wednesday and Thursday
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